

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Box PATENT APPLICATION

This is a request for filing a patent application of

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Entitled: **EXPANSION JOINT FOR STRUCTURAL SLABS**

Enclosed are: [XX] 10 sheets of specification and 4 sheets of claims
 [XX] 5 sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1, 2A, 2B, 3A - 3C, 4A - 4C, 5A, 5B, 6 and 7
 [XX] A Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
 [XX] An Assignment and required Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet
 [XX] Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449
 [XX] Small Entity Statement

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